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Alex. H. Washburn

SPG No Wasteland

Realtors Point

Out to Governor

Because it pursues a line this newspaper has been blasting away on ever since the Southwestern Proving Ground was declared surplus the following letter from the Hope Real Estate Board to Governor Ben Lancy is printed in full in this column today:

Hon. Ben F. Lancy
Governor, State of Arkansas
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Sir: The Hope Real Estate Board hereby respectfully requests that the State of Arkansas reconsider its recent action to acquire the 35,000 acres of land in the Southwestern Proving Ground area as a State Game Preserve and withdraw its claim, permitting the sale of this land to be made to the public as soon as possible; thereby insuring its return to its former productive state before the war.

The present system of selling such lands back to the public by the Government is in direct competition with the local real estate brokers, as they can earn no commission of any kind by such sales. However, the loss to the community of any revenue of any kind is a loss to all people living in this community, and this community will certainly suffer a considerable loss of revenue if the State continues to press its claim.

Realizing that the State of Arkansas may have been influenced into making its claim under the assumption that:

1. The government, in designating that area as a proving ground, had partially done so because the land was cheap waste land, and 2. That this land could not be reclaimed and put back in the highly productive state it was formerly due to the many explorations in this area.

We wish to advise the State, as a representative group of real estate brokers, that the above two conditions have never existed. In fact, it has always been rather hard for many of the citizens of this area to understand the Government's action in choosing the best land, as a whole, in Southwest Arkansas for an operation of the type it was subjected to, especially when there are thousands of waste acres in other parts of the state.

The ownership map of this area shows Ozark Creek and its tributaries running throughout the entire tract of land. Government crops reports will show that this land is largely black land situated along the bank of this creek, with sandy land on the hill sides. These reports will also show both types of land are responsible for about one-third of the former agricultural revenue of this county, during the years prior to the government's condemnation of it. The remainder of the land is in either fast growing pine lands or dense hardwoods with good woodland pasture. There are some good gravel roads in this area and no electricity available now for future owners.

The government records show that this area was far above the average in production in comparison to the remainder of the county and that it certainly was not nor has ever been, waste land. The fact that this 33,000 acres is now being cleared of explosives and will soon be safe for production purposes, with the possible exception of a small percentage, is proof that neither the Government nor the firms contracting to do this work of removing the possible explosives, consider the area unusual in any manner.

There will be a back to farming movement at some time in the future. Land that is capable of producing will be put back into a state of cultivation of either crops or stock feed. That a county or community be denied the opportunity to share in this back to farm movement, by lacking the land to accommodate such an action is hardly fair, and we do not believe it is the intention of the state to do this.

However, we also realize that the state is in need of game preserves, and that just a request for the state to relinquish its claim without an alternative is not doing justice to the state planners and game preserve enthusiasts. Therefore, we would like to call the state's attention to the Millwood Dam on Little River now in the early stages of development, which provide a vast amount of land that the state could acquire for a game preserve in a natural setting. Furthermore, this Dam will not only protect thousands of acres of land in the river bottoms from flood and permit it to be placed into cultivation, but will also provide a game preserve, a tourist attraction, and benefits that will long be conducive to the progress of our state. We suggest that the state utilize this means of obtaining a game preserve, and permit the return of the Southwestern Proving Ground to this county's tax rolls.

In closing we would like to call your attention that the industrial development of the southern part of the Southwestern Proving Ground is in the making. Factories locating there would normally draw a considerable number of employees from the surrounding farming community. It is doubtful that a game preserve would contribute very much to this situation. Certainly the development of this project is more important to the state at the present time.

We thank you for the State's taking this matter under further consideration. We are at your service should the state require any further information. Respectfully yours,

HOPE REAL ESTATE BOARD
Floyd Portenfield, President
Vinton W. Foster, Secretary
Feb. 2, 1948
Hope, Ark.

By JAMES THRASHER
Russia Didn't Deny Charges In Those Captured Documents

On Jan. 21, the State Department made public some captured

Group Sets Sum to Start Europe Recovery Plan

Washington, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Chairman Eaton (R-NJ) of the House Foreign Affairs committee recommended for the first time today a figure for European aid — \$5,300,000,000 as a start.

That is the amount the Senate Foreign Relations committee fixed for the first 12 months of the proposed European Recovery plan.

Eaton said he considers it "fair and sound."

He told a reporter his committee probably will agree that the Marshall plan "be handled by an independent organization headed by a man of cabinet rank. Such a set up also would parallel the Senate bill.

But Eaton said he is against setting up a congressional "watchdog" committee, as the Senate group proposed.

"I still oppose," he said, "any attempt to invade the constitutional rights of the president, whoever he may be."

Eaton said he thinks that setting up a special committee to check on the progress of European Recovery also would "invade" the constitutional duties of such regular committees as those dealing with foreign affairs and appropriations.

Scouts Take Over Scrap Metal Drive

Steel is still a critical item on what Meyers promised "I would make more money and eventually get a share in the company."

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"Did he say what kind of business contacts?" the witness was asked.

"As I recall it now," Lamarre replied, "they were mostly aircraft companies."

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Mrs. Lamarre is a former secretary of the general. Meyers has claimed that she once was his girl friend. She denied it and claimed she is the general's "snake" for making the statement.

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White plans are as yet incomplete for the entire county, cubs and scouts in Hope will get their drive underway immediately. Next week cubs will work their own neighborhoods to locate and assemble all the scrap they can find. On Saturday and Sunday, March 6 and 7, scouts will make the collections with trucks made available for this purpose.

Collections in Ward 2 will be made by the scouts of Troop 90, sponsored by the First Baptist Church; Ward 2 by scouts in Troop 62 sponsored by the Methodist Church; Ward 3 by scouts in Troop 58 sponsored by the Presbyterian Church; and Ward 4 by the senior Air Scouts of Troop 62 sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

All citizens are urged to cooperate with the boys in this drive as a civic undertaking and scout program. Anyone having scrap metal may report it by calling 81 at anytime between now and March 7.

City Election Officials Announced

A list of officials for Democratic Primary Election to be held Wednesday, March 3, 1948, Hope, Arkansas, as released by J. P. Duffie, secretary:

First Ward: Voting place, First Street. Judges: Elbert Burke, Harry Hawthorne, Jim McKeithen, Clerks: Claude Lauterbach, Hinton Davis, Alternate Judges: Ed Van Sickle, Hendrix Spraggins, Tom Wardlow, Alternate Clerks: Roy Craine, Will Palmero, Sheriff: Will Portier.

Second Ward: Voting place, courthouse. Judges: G. W. McDowell, W. M. Powers, W. H. Allen, Clerks: C. C. Collins, Andy Wagner, Alternate Clerks: Eugene Cox, J. W. Harper, Sheriff: Paul Cubit.

Third Ward: Voting place, City Hall. Judges: Geo. W. Peck, Franklin Horton, Tom Purvis, Clerks: Mrs. Conner Boyett, Mrs. B. Mason, Alternate Clerks: W. E. Walker, E. H. Stowall, Alex Purcell, Alternate Clerks: Mrs. J. M. Houston, Mrs. E. O. Wingfield, Sheriff: Rufus Martindale.

Fourth Ward: Voting place, City Hall. Judges: Arch Moore, T. A. Hendris, Louis Breed, Clerks: Houston Wohlf, Mike Snyder, Alternate Judges: Cliff Stewart, C. E. Cassidy, Ferrell Williams, Alternate Clerks: Sid Ward, Ira Halliburton, Sheriff: Rupert Gentry.

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South Faces Prospect of Defeat in Open Skirmish Against 'Rights' Program

Witness Says
Meyers Lured
Him Into Deal

Washington, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Berton H. Lamarre said today Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers lured him from a California war job with a promise of a bright, financial future in a Dayton, O., business owned by Meyers.

The 36-year-old accountant testified as the principal government witness against Meyers, former director purchasing chief of the army air forces.

Meyers is being tried on charges of inducing Lamarre to tell falsehoods last summer at a Senate investigation of Meyers' private business deals.

Witnesses told a Senate subcommittee that the 52-year-old general made more than \$150,000 wartime profit from the Aviation Electric Company, a Dayton plane parts plant.

Lamarre has pleaded guilty to separate perjury charges growing out of the Senate inquiry. He has yet to be sentenced.

Lamarre said he was working for the Douglas Aircraft Corporation in Southern California in 1942 when Meyers contacted him. He said Meyers asked him to return to Dayton "because he wanted someone he could trust to look after his interests" at Aviation Electric.

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Robbins Gets Off With Life Sentence

P-L LONNIE ROBBINS
Clinton, Feb. 25 — (AP) — Lonnie A. Robbins, condemned by the state as a "dashing ronco," has been convicted of murder in the poison death of his Texas "mail order" bride. His sentence was set at life imprisonment.

A jury composed mostly of farmers in this rural county returned a verdict yesterday after deliberating four hours in a tourist court. The trial lasted three days.

The forty-year-old farmer, neatly in a dark suit and shiny tie, received the verdict with a smile. His attorneys did not say immediately whether they would appeal, but indicated they would.

After the verdict, Robbins was removed to the Faulkner county jail at Conway for "safe keeping," Sheriff Jack Castleberry of Conway said. He will be returned here for formal sentencing on Friday.

The state had sought the death penalty. The defense didn't deny that Robbins' bride of a week, the former Mrs. Sadie Sue Dedley, Abilene, Tex., died of poisoning.

Assistant U. S. Attorney John Flanagan recommended that Robbins be given a life sentence.

Robbins was married on Christmas Day at Abilene and moved to Conway last year.

He was indicted for the killing of his bride on New Year's Eve.

He died a few hours later.

His attorney, Opie Rogers, Clinton, in his final argument to the jury, called Robbins a "dashing ronco" and contended he married the Texas woman for money.

Testimony was introduced that Mrs. Robbins withdrew \$1,800 from her postal savings account before coming to Arkansas. Five hundred dollars was found on Robbins after his arrest with a woman who said she thought they were to be married.

The woman was identified as Mrs. Jewell Robbins. She has been charged with murder and a former husband, Henry Petty, has been charged with being an accessory.

Both were indicted for the killing.

They were found in water sprays as fast as pipe can be obtained, said Rogers, "in order to eat down the dust and reduce the danger of fire and explosion."

"A man can average \$15 a day," said Harry W. Mintz, mining engineer for the Lehigh Valley Coal Company. "And a good worker can drop \$10 a week or more."

"A young man can become a miner after serving only two years as an apprentice laborer, and even as a laborer he can get \$10 to \$12 a day."

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long Albert Canal in Belgium run

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Civil War Is Threatened in Egypt

Cairo, Egypt, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Cables received here indicated today that civil war threatens Yemen, which was reported killed during the day that civil war threatens Yemen, where the Imam (ruler) Yehia was reported killed during a coup Feb. 17.

But they still faced prospective battle in the committee tomorrow on this issue, which is backed by both President Truman and the Republican majority.

The bill, which would let the federal government sit in and prosecute anyone who takes part in a lynching, was approved yesterday 3 to 2 by a judiciary subcommittee. It was scheduled to get action today by the full committee, with approval virtually certain.

An Arab League source said Abd al-Moneim Mustafa, member of an "exploratory delegation" sent to the Southwestern Arabian country, reported that disturbances are prevailing.

Here and There in Arkansas

Little Rock, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Two Mississippi state officials have been commissioned "Arkansas Travelers," a reward bestowed for distinguished service to the state, Gov. Nathan Gordon appointed Gov. Fielding Wright and speaker of the House Walter Gillers, both of Mississippi, "Arkansas Travelers" yesterday.

Little Rock, Feb. 26 — (AP) — The FBI has disclosed that an attempt to hold up the First National Bank at Newark, Ark., was tried Monday, but the gunman apparently lost his nerve.

Alvin Karpis, FBI agent here, said that Alvin Prince, Batesville, had been

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watching a car coming from the opposite direction.

Little Rock, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Arkansas commercial hatcheries produced 1,500,000 chicks in January, a 71 percent increase over the same month in 1947, the Agriculture Department Crop Reporting Service said today.

The service reported, however, that the 465,000 broiler chicks placed with northwest Arkansas producers in the week ending Feb. 21, was a 14 percent decline under the preceding week.

Conway, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Hendrix College enrollment has reached a record total of 559, registrar Vic Hill said today.

The students, Hill added, come from 10 states and two foreign countries and represent 10 religious denominations.

Port Smith, Feb. 25 — (AP) — A north-bound trailer truck crashed into a tree and exploded at Y-City, Ark., about 15 miles south of Wagoner, Ark., at 5:45 a. m. Thursday, killing the driver and a passenger.

Sheriff Otto Holland and State Patrolman Guy Downing, who investigated the accident, said the truck, which carried Missouri tags, was apparently attempting to turn from U. S. highway 71 on to highway 270, toward Mt. Ida, Ark.

The explosion and ensuing fire, the sheriff said, burned the two men beyond recognition and destroyed all personal identification and truck registration papers.

Holland said the trailer, loaded with bananas, was almost undamaged in the crash. The sheriff believed both men were dead before the flames reached them.

Officers are trying to establish the identity of the victims through checking the license numbers with Missouri authorities.

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Disintegrated Warehouse



A gas-filled warehouse virtually disintegrated at Pocahontas, Arkansas, in a shattering explosion in flaming ruins. Body of the laborer was found just under where the rescue worker has an ax poised

Security Council Delays Action on Partition Problem

Lake Success, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Security council delegates took a 24-hour breathing spell today on the ticklish Palestine partition problem.

The delay touched off a series of lobby conferences. It also gave delegates an opportunity to get their wind for the decisive round of discussions, expected to start tomorrow.

Prime speculation centered around when Russian's Andrei A. Gromyko would speak and what he would say.

The taciturn Soviet delegate said "maybe yes, maybe no" when questioned as to whether he would lay the Kremlin's position before the council tomorrow.

Persons who have watched the Russians operate expected Gromyko to attack the United States and Britain. In lobby conversations with reports he already has accused the British of obstructing partition.

But it took Moscow 19 days to think up an answer. When it came, it did not say that the captured papers' revelations were untrue. The Kremlin fumed and called names, in several installments, but it didn't deny the deal. It insisted that Britain and France, as far back as 1937, were goading Hitler to war with Russia.

Beyond that, the Soviet rebuttal was no more surprising than the American accusation. Russian officials were not the first ones to say that Britain, France and the United States were not blameless in Hitler's rise to power.

Plenty of ruseful post-mortems were held in this country during the war years. There must have been plenty more in France and England. We recalled the importance of a League of Nations made more impotent by secret diplomacy and jealous, suspicious nationalism. We regretted allowing Japan to move into Manchuria, and Hitler into Ethiopia.

To boot we saw the danger of cartel tie-ups with German industry. We saw how France had quarreled and corrupted herself into a walking corpse behind the wishful security of the Maginot Line. We saw the tragic outcome of good but weak-willed intentions at Munich.

But those were largely sins of omission. Perhaps the chief sin—and Hitler's chief asset—was

that western people and their governments could not realize the enormity of Hitler's thirst for power and blood. In spite of all the evidence to the contrary, they just could not believe that he would plunge the world into another war.

It is not surprising that the Russian propagandists tried to distort the picture. Their efforts were not very successful. For instance, they made much of the Dawes Plan. This was a necessary remedy to relieve a German financial crisis that threatened the whole economy of Europe, just as low industrial production in Germany impeded European recovery today.

Nobody loved the Germans then any better than they do now. Yet the fact was, and is, that it is hard to punish her neighbors without punishing her neighbors. However, it is nonsense to say that the Dawes Plan set out to re-arm Germany. Germany was a republic under a Socialist president when General Dawes prescribed his remedy. The year was 1923, the year of the beer hall "putsch"; Hitler was strictly a local nuisance at the time.

At any rate, the present accusations and rebuttals are water over the dam. There was doubtful wisdom in starting the whole business, though it is easy to see how sorely Soviet slanders must have tried this government's patience.

The captured Nazi documents told nothing really new. Neither did the Soviet replies. Both only served to widen the breach and increase bad feeling.

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Social and Personal

Phone 768 Between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Social Calendar

Thursday, February 26
The Willing Workers Class of the Hope Gospel Tabernacle will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Robertson, Thursday at 7:45 p.m. at the S.P.G.

The Friday Music Club will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Carlton at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

Saturday, February 27
The Hope Lions Club will sponsor a dance at the Lions Hall, Saturday night beginning at 9 o'clock.

Monday, March 1
Circle 3 of the W.S.C.S. will meet with Mrs. Charles Bryant Monday, March 1 at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Guy Linaker, Mrs. Lloyd Sutton and Mrs. C. D. Lauterbach as co-hostesses.

Friday, March 5
A Benefit party will be held Friday, March 5 at 8 p.m. by the Rebecca Lodge, above the New theater building. Funds will go to repair the Lodge Hall. A local string band will furnish music. The public is invited.

Mrs. Haworth Hostess at Bridge Party

Mrs. C. F. Haworth entertained with a Bridge Party at her home Wednesday afternoon. Three tables were arranged for playing in the room decorated with yellow jacquards and other spring flowers. Mrs. Cline Franks was high scorer and Mrs. C. C. Lewis received the second high score. Following the games, the hostess served delightful refreshments to the players.

Laymen's League Met Wednesday Night

The Laymen's League of the First Christian church met Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a dinner, business meeting and program in the Fellowship Hall. Following the dinner, Mr. Ted Jones, president, presided over the

business meeting. Mr. Jack Pritchett, program chairman, showed a film, "Seeds of Destiny" to the members present.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Chas. A. Haynes has returned from Ft. Smith, Ark., where she attended the State Convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. D. M. Finley of St. Louis, Missouri is guest of Mrs. Brooks Shultz in Fulton, and friends in Hope.

Mrs. John H. Greene of Little Rock, Ark., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John E. McCabe here.

Mrs. C. C. Taul, Mrs. W. R. Herring, Mrs. William Lowery of Little Rock, and Mrs. Arthur Posfay of Birmingham, Alabama are houseguests of Mrs. J. M. Houston and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Purvis.

Personal Mention

Friends of Mrs. Newt Bundy will rejoice to learn that she is seriously ill at her home at 1016 West Sixth Street.

Mrs. Chas. O. Thomas, who is a patient at the Julia Chester hospital, is reported as improved. Friends will be happy to learn.

Hospital Notes

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Wm. Thompson, Emmet,
Mrs. Eugene O'Steen, Hope.

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Mrs. John C. Morton, Hope.

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Mrs. Cecil Richards.
Discharged:
Miss Janet McKenzie

The Doctor Says:

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.
Written for NEA Service

Many serious diseases, such as pneumonia, influenza, tuberculosis, and the common cold, are undoubtedly spread from person to person through the air. The germs or viruses are coughed, sneezed, spit or breathed into the air by the persons affected. They float around for a time, and are then inhaled by someone who has not yet been attacked.

Some people are very thoughtful when it comes to exposing others. They think nothing of going to the movies or other public places when they are coming down with an infection. In the midst of coughing and sneezing attacks, they often do not even cover the nose and mouth and thereby expose all those near them to infection.

The filthy habit of spitting in public places is especially to be condemned. Health authorities have long recognized the danger of this practice and it is forbidden in trains, street cars, and other public conveyances.

The spit contains millions of germs. In spite of the city ordinances and laws prohibiting this practice in many places, people in general do not seem to realize the danger. Someone who steps on a spot where another has just spit carries the germs with him. The spit dries gradually, but drying does not kill the germs very fast—in fact, drying may make it all the easier for the air to pick up the germs where they can be inhaled by anyone around.

Ugly and Unhealthy.

Not only is spitting, sneezing, and coughing a danger to others, but it is far from beautiful to see sidewalks, platforms and other places littered with spots around which one has to step carefully.

For health reasons alone, if for no other, the laws against spitting should be enforced and people understand why this is a vital health practice.

Question: What causes a cough that lasts for many years?

Answer: A long-continued cough should not be neglected, as it may lead to complications. The cause, however, can only be discovered after examination, including X-ray of the chest.

That was what? Did the gas have something to do with the

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By DEWITT MacKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The United Nations Security Council finally is face to face with the necessity of answering its Palestine commission's report that the partition of the Holy Land can't be carried out without force.

It's a difficult, and dangerous problem. And it's unwelcome, for the U. N. must either produce a judgment of Solomon or the peace organization may come a cropper from which it never will recover. In short, the U. N. is on trial in a big way — maybe for its life.

The Palestine commission not only says force is a requisite for carrying out of instructions, but it warns that quick action is imperative. To my mind that warning is one of the most vital points of the report, as should be clear to anyone who reads the findings regarding the bloody warfare between the Jews and the Arabs, and the preparations by both sides for all-out war.

The world has been looking to the United States for a lead in dealing with the Palestine issue — one of the most controversial of these troublous times. Yesterday chief U. S. Delegate Warren R. Austin went before the security council and made a declaration. It was a most carefully worded statement so guarded, indeed, that we await further enlightenment.

Austin's main point would seem to be these: America proposes that the Big Five powers (the U.S.A., Britain, France, Russia and China) begin immediate talks with the Arabs and Jews in an effort to settle the problem, but the exact nature of the talks isn't clear.

The United States pledges that its policy "will conform to and be in support of United Nations action on Palestine." Austin said the council must act to restore peace but declared that it had no legal authority to enforce a political settlement, that is, partitioning of the Holy Land.

"The council's action," he said, "is directed to keeping the peace and not to enforcing partition."

Austin added that the United States is ready to enter consultations on the creation of an international force to keep peace in Palestine if the council decides such a course is necessary.

Well, now, where does that leave us? The U. N. has decreed that the Holy Land shall be divided between the Jews and the Arabs. The Jews want partition and the Arabs don't. Both are arming to the teeth to maintain their viewpoints.

With the present temper of the Jews and Arabs, partition can't be carried out without the employment of outside force to keep the peace. Therefore, if the security council doesn't provide a force to maintain peace the Arabs and Jews will fight it out to a terrible finish.

On the other hand, if the council does provide a peace force, it will be creating a situation which probably will permit the Jews to establish their government against the wishes of the Arabs. In other words, any effective peace force will implement partition.

Try and figure out that one! That's what the security council has to struggle with. And the essence of the situation is speed.

Oder-Danube Canal Planned Project — (AP) Plans for an Oder-Danube canal were discussed at a meeting of the Moravian River and Canal Council at Prerov and it was announced that a special study group would be formed before the end of the year to consider the project.

Negotiations also are in progress with Austria on the proposal and the Czechoslovak government has appropriated five million crowns (\$100,000) for preliminary work on a Danube-Oder-Elsbe project.

Blue eyes and black eyes contain exactly the same coloring pigment, known as melanin, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica. The difference in color is the result of the way in which light is reflected from the surfaces of the fibers which make up the iris. Black eyes also have more melanin than do blue eyes.

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Orders Issued to 'Obey' Spa Commissioner

Hot Springs, Feb. 26 — (AP) — The Municipal Civil Service Commission issued orders today to the Hot Springs police force to "obey" instructions of the new public safety commissioner, George Callahan.

Commission Chairman Leland Leatherman said the orders were in reply to a letter received yesterday from a grievance committee representing itself as acting for the force.

The letter said the Police depart-

ment declined to recognize Callahan's authority and would "take orders only from the senior officer of the department." The letter didn't identify the senior officer. He's Capt. Miford Saunders, former acting police chief.

Mayor Earl Ricks received the letter and passed it along to the Civil Service Commission without comment.

Leatherman said the commission met and drafted a reply, stating that Callahan was the public safety commissioner, with authority over police and fire departments.

Callahan's appointment to the

police force was opposed by the Arkansas Municipal Police Officers Association. He was named commissioner after the association successfully opposed his appointment as police chief.

An attorney for the police association had announced he would file a suit seeking to prohibit Callahan from serving as commissioner. The suit, however, wasn't filed yesterday.

A member of the Civil Service Commission, Cleveland Smith, commented that "there is nothing that we can do about it until Chancellor Garratt rules on the constitutionality of the 10-year-old ordinance under which Callahan

was appointed."

"Mercy Killer" Gets 7 Months
Bauza Bestrites Slovakia — (AP) — Jan Pazu, 21, was sentenced to seven months in prison on a "mercy killing" charge.

Pazu told the jury he killed his friend Stefan Abramson, who was suffering from an incurable disease and begged him to cut his throat. Pazu said he did it with a kitchen knife.

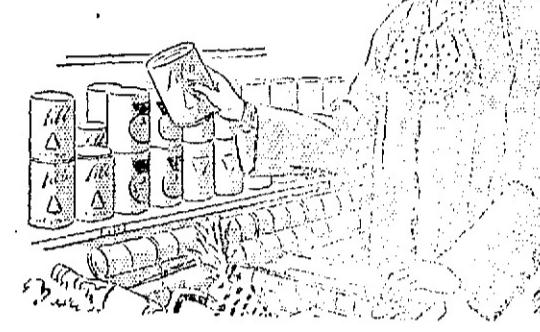
The defendant's story was supported by several witnesses who testified that Abramson implored all visitors to kill him.

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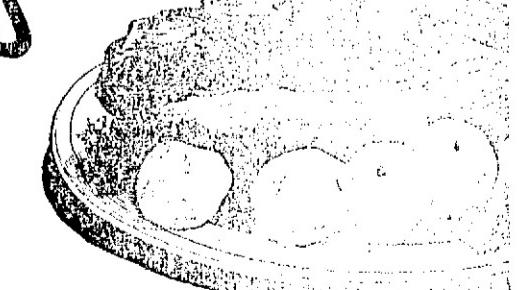
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Hockey President Determined to Unearth Gambling

Detroit, Feb. 26—(AP)—Professional hockey's top executive determined to unearth specific facts in a reported link between players and gamblers, redoubled his efforts today to talk to the imprisoned man he believes may tell him the full story.

In failing his first attempts to contact high Michigan officials, National Hockey League President Clarence Campbell sought again to find some means of talking to James (Ooco) Tamer.

The 36-year-old Tamer, a convicted bank robber now back in Southern Michigan prison as a parole holder, "would be the man who could give us the information we need," Campbell said.

The hockey executive said he would try to reach Michigan's Governor Sisler this morning in attempt to get on the trail of concrete evidence.

NCAA Champion to Be Decided on March 23

Chicago, Feb. 26—(AP)—The National Collegiate Athletic Association's basketball championship will be decided March 23 in New York after completion of the Eastern and Western playoffs. Arthur (Dutie) Lonborg, chairman of the NCAA tournament committee announced today.

Lonborg, Northwestern University coach, said the Western playoffs, will be held March 19-20 in the Municipal Auditorium, Kansas City, Mo. The Eastern playoffs will be staged in New York's Madison Square Garden on March 22.

The winner and runners-up of the NCAA tournament will move into the final Olympic basketball tryouts at New York, which begin March 27.

Lonborg also announced the final selection committees for the four teams representing the four Eastern districts and the four teams representing the Western district in the preliminary playoffs. Holy Cross and Kennebec already have been named to represent District 1 and District 3 respectively.

The six other NCAA berths will be decided mainly on the finishes in the various conferences. Baylor already has captured the Southwest Conference title and is expected to be invited.

The committees include:

Fifth, Bruce Drake, Oklahoma; A. E. Elkins, Missouri Valley Conference, and Clyde McBride, Kansas City Star.

Sixth: Gene Lambert, Arkansas; Jack Gray, Texas, and J. F. McKale, Arizona.

Holy Cross defeated Oklahoma, 55 to 47, to win last season's NCAA title.

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Fair Enough

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Closing Session of Golden Gloves Tournament

Chicago, Feb. 26—(AP)—The New York Times and the New York Herald Tribune gave a strange performance, in view of their professional and ethical pretensions. In their recent coverage of the report of the death in India of Prof. Nicholas Roerich, it is just as well they did. It is time to unmask anyway.

Roerich was a painter of debatable distinction. He was also a tourist of Asiatic parts, if not indeed, an explorer. There is no doubt that he either dabbled or seriously engaged in the furtive and mysterious politics of the Far East, that he was persona grata in Moscow under the Communists and that some of his American devotees went nuts for a while and imagined him as God almighty.

Among them was Louis L. Horch, a mysterious fellow himself, with only a very sketchy and inconvening biography in the personal records in Washington where he was placed in important jobs with the departments of Agriculture and Commerce, by Henry Wallace.

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It is undeniable and undenied that Henry Wallace, a cabinet member with access to deeply confidential knowledge of matters affecting foreign commerce and exchange, also associated with this crazy congress of fools and sharpers. Wallace also admired Roerich.

Whether his admiration was sincere or imbecile, like the queer neutrals or many others in the circle, we do not accurately know. We can say with assurance that Wallace was, at best, silly in some of his relations with Roerich, as when he imported this Russian to go tramping over the Gobi and other far parts ostensibly in search of grass seed at the expense of the American taxpayers.

Roerich was a citizen of Russia, and thus a Soviet subject, and Moscow would not let him go gallivanting unless the Kremlin was confident that he was a loyal Bolshevik. He and some of his disciples carried on a queer project to make Roerich "leader of master, whether dictator, king or what we do not know, of Manchuria." They referred to Manchuria as "Kansas in their correspondence."

It would be an accommodation if Henry Wallace would deny any of this or deny his association with Roerich, Horch and others in the court. He would contribute to the public understanding of his character and honesty if he would take some notice of the sheet of idiotic letters addressed to Roerich and others in a hand indistinguishable from his own in the eye of some experts, if only to deny that he wrote them.

Silence, in some cases, may indicate virtual disbelieve, but in this case it does not. Wallace is deeply implicated by documentary evidence already in hand.

The proof of Wallace's relations with Roerich and Horch got out before Wallace was put on guard. Therefore denial in this case are invited, indeed requested, so that the truth may be presented to the citizens concerning a faker masquerading as a prophet with intentions of boldness as a candidate for the office of president.

The New York Times demands a "full" account of all the news that fit to print but, in its casual farewell to Roerich, was guilty of omitting printables and interesting information. The Times knew nothing about Wallace's implication in the Roerich mutiny or his deepest guilt in financing this faker from Moscow with American public funds and handing him American Government credentials for his wanderings. The Times takes it upon itself to decide that the public shall be kept in the dark about this weird and, it may be, ominous relationship between a man now running for President and Roerich.

In the first test at the pods, Wallace won a victory in a congressional district in New York which is more Russian than American, on a pro-Russian and generally anti-American platform. The pro-Russian and anti-American character of this and other districts of New York will be denied now. But within two years coats will be off and the issue of nationalism and patriotism against communism and treason will be openly contended in print and on the radio in the United States.

In another instance, the Times ran a Sunday political biography of Henry Wallace, George Phillips, who was recommended in an introductory box as an authority who had

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6 Conference Titles Already Decided

By TED MEIER

New York, Feb. 26—(AP)—The 1948 parade college basketball champion has started. Six conference titles already have been decided. The list is expected to double by Saturday.

The six already decided: Southwest Conference — Baylor. Rocky Mountain Conference — Colorado State.

Southwest Border Conference — Central Conference — Iowa Teachers.

Mason-Dixon Conference (season play) — Baltimore Loyola, Vermont.

Assured of at least a tie and expected to take it all are the Oklahoma Aggies in the Missouri Valley Conference; California in the Pacific Coast Conference and Brigham Young in the Southeast Conference, and North Carolina State, in the Southern Conference.

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Once-beaten Columbia stayed out front of the Eastern Intercollegiate (Ivy) League by trimming Yale, 61-54. Walt Budko, Columbia star, not only tallied 28 points, but melded 10 assists to five field goals and six free throws. Yale led at the half, 30-20.

Cornell, after a period of overhauling Columbia, dropped a 58-52 non-league fray to Syracuse.

Notre Dame, whipped by Michigan State on Tuesday, bounced back to trounce Marquette, 72-55.

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The announcement that Walcott probably will be announced officially tonight.

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ABC 11 noon Welcome Travelers; 1:30 p.m. Bride and Groom; 3:30 Let's Go to Opera; 6:30 Long Ranger; 7:30 MBS 1 p.m. Mother-in-Law Queen for a Day; 9:30 Tex Beneke band.

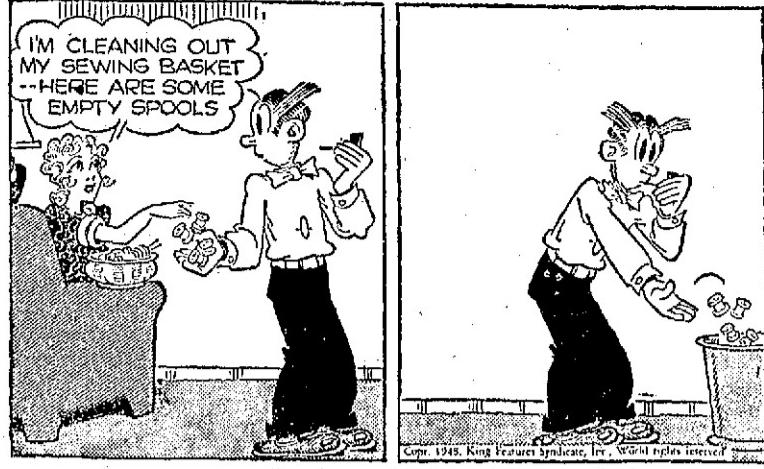
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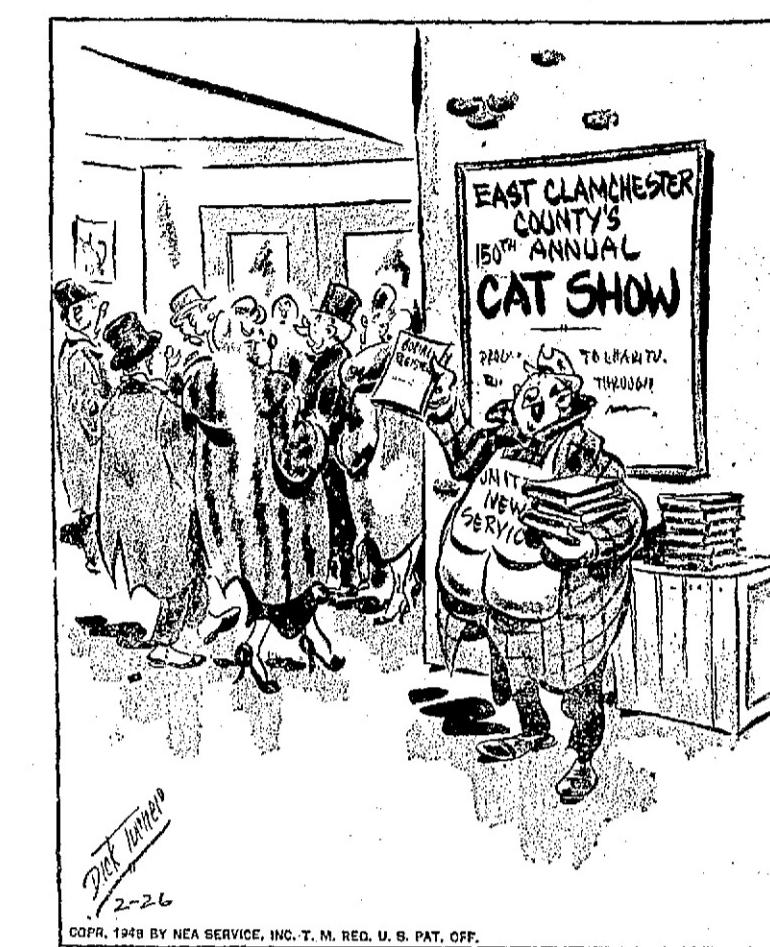
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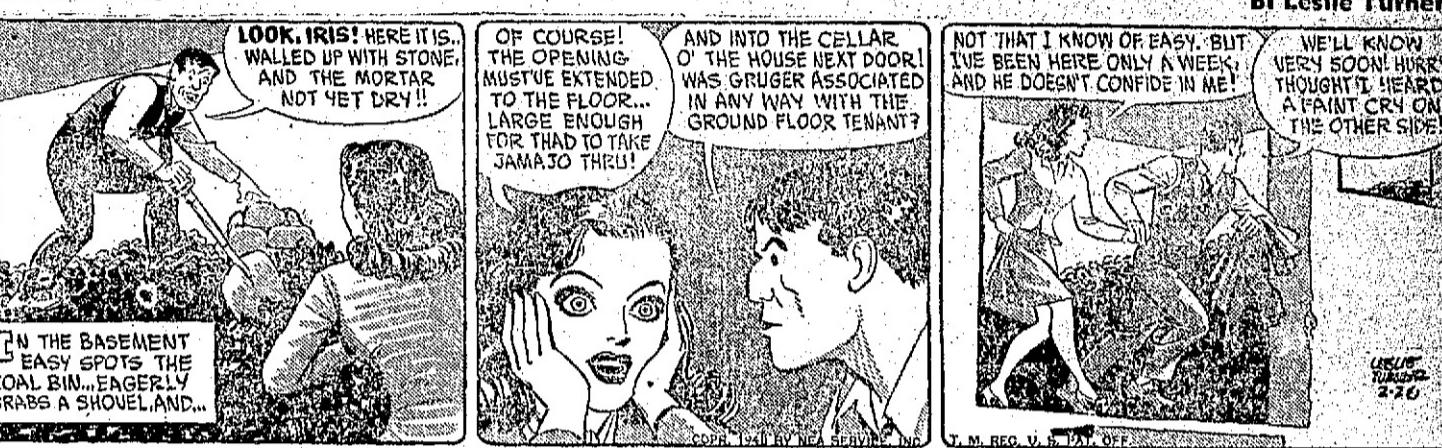


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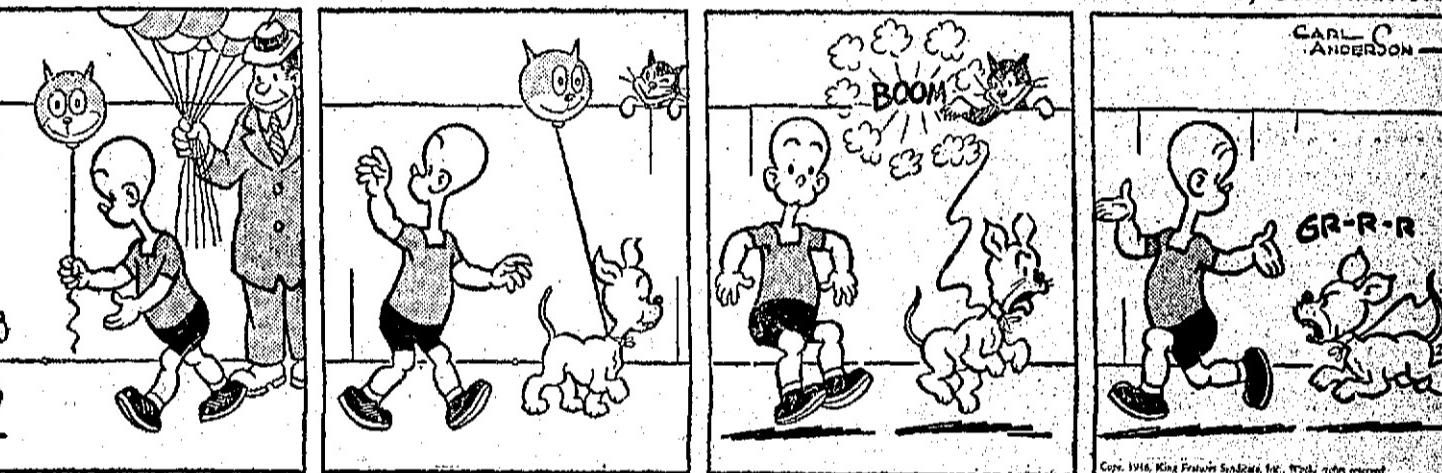
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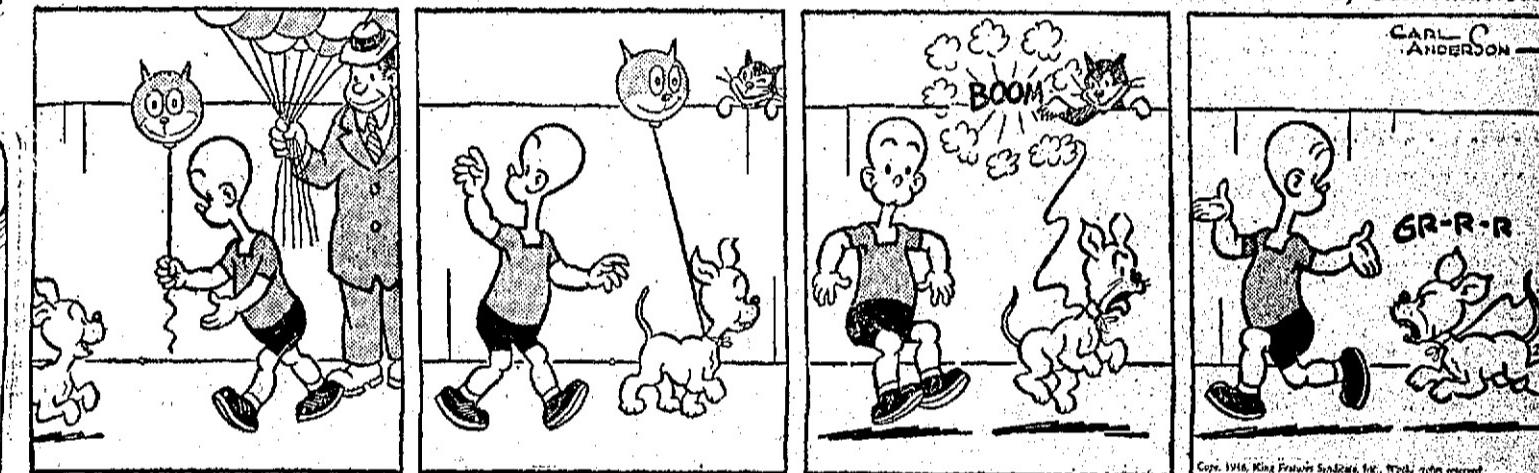
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FUNNY BUSINESS

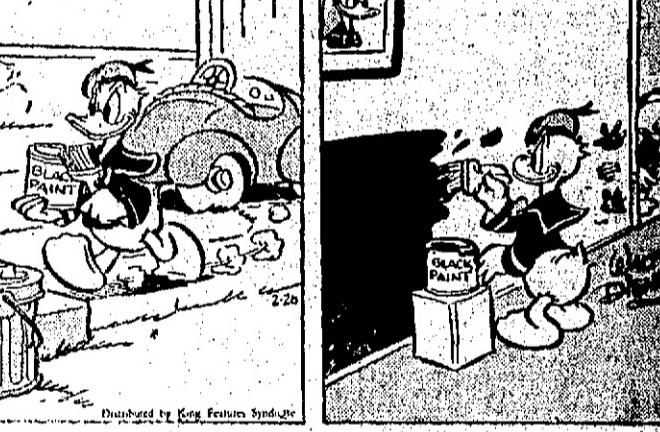
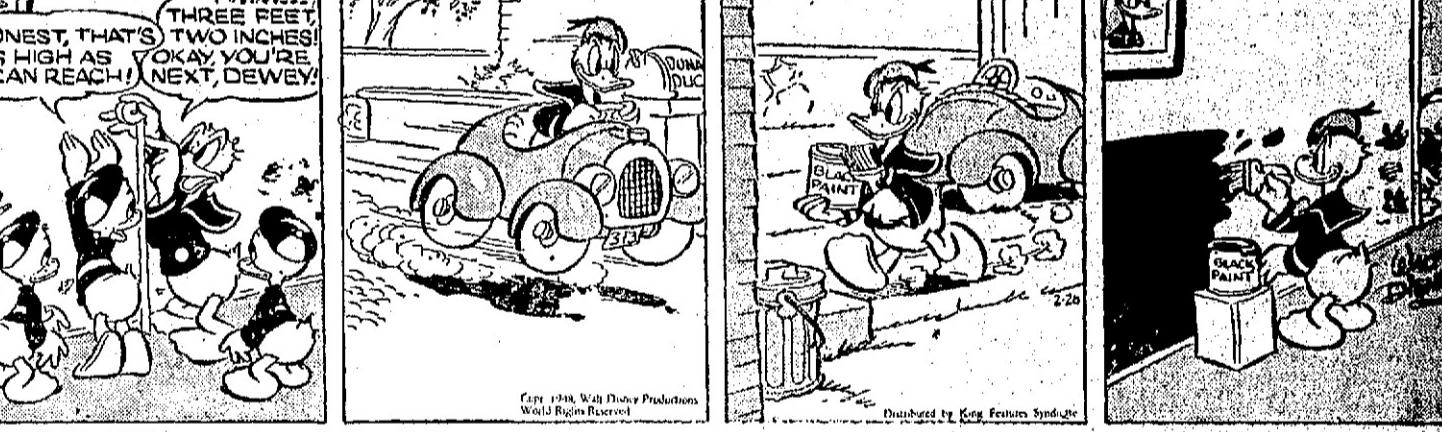
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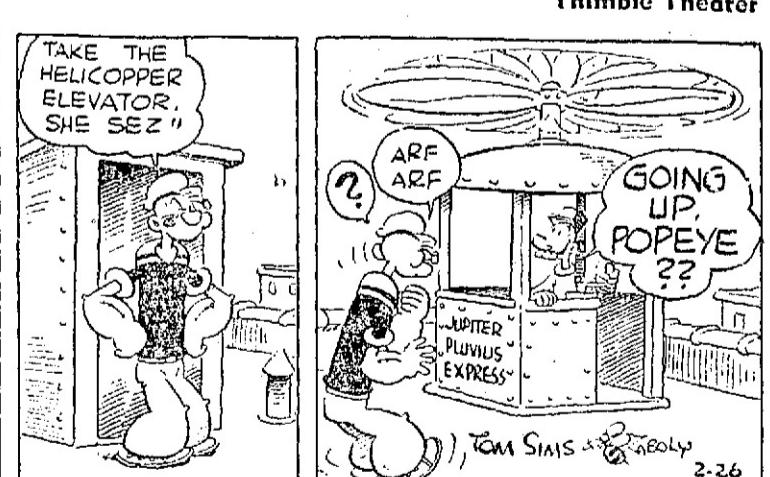


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"I'm going to put you on a strict diet—so you can save enough on groceries to pay my bill!"

POPEYE

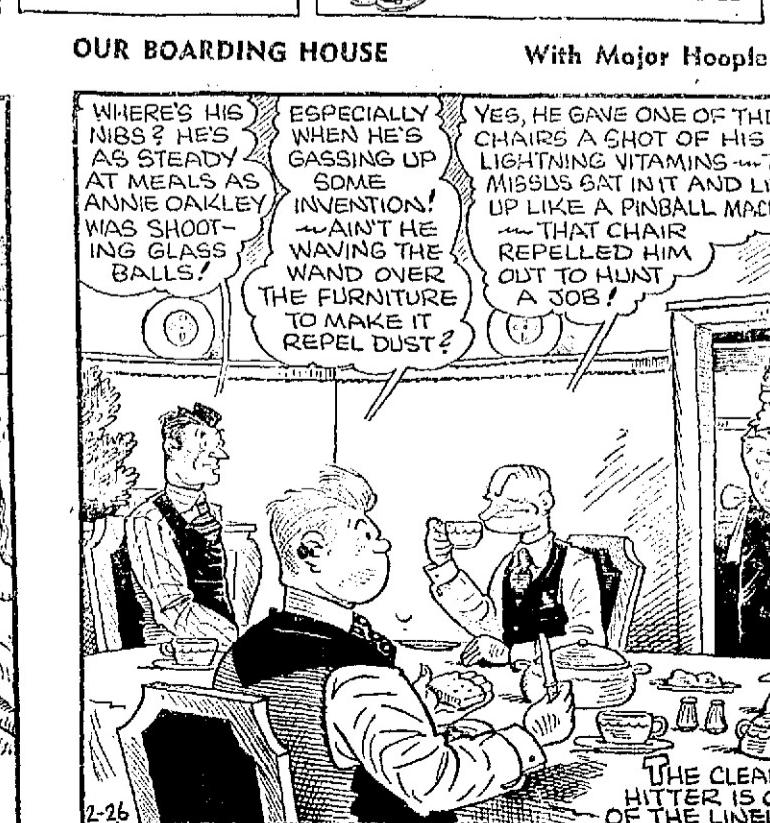


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OUT OUR WAY

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AFFA Joins in Fight Against Truman

Anti-Rock, Feb. 23.—(AP)—South's opposition to President Truman's administration over the civil rights proposals has a new recruit.

The Arkansas Free Enterprise Association—an organization of cotton planters, business and professional men—announced it would campaign to elect unpledged Democratic presidential electors in Arkansas this year.

AFFA Executive Director John H. Danner, of Marianna, said the association would "go into every county to sell this thing." The organization's goal, he explained, is to enable Arkansas voters "to be cast for the presidential candidate who recognizes states' rights and our traditions."

This was one of several developments here last night over the administration's program dealing with racial relations.

The AFFA sponsored a dinner at which a resolution was adopted pledging Gov. Ben Laney of Arkansas and Gov. Fielding Wright of Mississippi support in their fight.

More than 100 persons attending the dinner at which Wright was the principal speaker. He and Laney have been in the forefront of the Southern resistance movement.

In his address the Mississippi governor called upon the "Solid South" to "become the balance of power" in national politics. He cited that the so-called Solid South has 16 electoral votes and 37 representatives to elect a president.

He said, "controls more than 50 percent of the votes necessary for the election of a president. Do you think we are helpless?"

Wright added that "we must go place our support as to insure the defeat of any group which ignores us" and called Mr. Truman's civil rights program to Congress a "political program of communistic inspired recommendations of the so-called civil liberties committee."

The Mississippian told his audience that "we of the South owe no allegiance to those who have so grossly betrayed us" and mentioned that the Mississippi Democratic executive committee had directed its chairman to call a nationwide meeting of "all true Democrats."

Another speaker at the meeting, Mississippi House Speaker Walker Sillers, contended the Democratic party leadership had advocated betrayal of the covenants of article 10 of the bill of rights—slaves rights.

"Give us protection against these outrages," he cried, "or give us another. It is Republican, Democratic or what you may call it."

PRE-SEASONAL FOWL

Using a principal of physiology, Dr. A. Guaduchau, of Paris, injected sausages and seasoning directly into the blood streams of chickens, with the contention this aided the flavoring to penetrate the meat, making it unnecessary to season it in cooking the fowl.

Weak, Watery Blood Blamed for Making Men and Women Look and Feel Older THAN THEIR YEARS

How do you feel at the end of a day? Is that old time pep and drive lacking?

Have you checked up on your blood recently? If you have now regained glowing red looks and vitality through the release of vibrant energy to every muscle, bone, cell.

Every day—every hour—millions of red-blood-cells must pour forth from the young body to replace those that are worn out. Low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection.

To get real value you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities by analysis of the blood, have by posi-

tive tests found that SSS Tonic is amazingly effective in building new blood strength in non-organic material anemia. This is due to the SSS Tonic formula which contains special vitamins and minerals.

Also, SSS Tonic helps to restore the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is non-organic.

Too little or too many—the stomach has little chance to get healthy with gas, bloating and give off that sour food taste.

Don't waste Energize your body with SSS Tonic. Start on SSS Tonic now.

As vigorous blood circulates throughout your whole body, greater fresh blood strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better,

and have a healthy color glow in your skin.

Now millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. SSS Tonic helps Build Sturdy Health.

Benes Bows

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cial said, the president was virtually muzzled by the Communist controlled press and radio and thus was unable to carry direct to the people any appeal or explanation of his action.

The president's office announced that Benes would make no speech nor issue any communiqué today. The official who told of his surrender to Gottwald said the reason for the delay was Benes' exhaustion. He needs a day or two to recover some of his strength for whatever course he chose, it was said.

Other quarters said that after his capitulation to the Communists, Benes was exhausted, dispirited, dismanned much. At the same time, he had been fighting for the Czech nation since the days before its creation after the first world war.

The pressure on him for a full week had mounted steadily.

Prague, Feb. 26.—(AP)—Czechoslovakia is completely under Communist control today and the way is clear for transforming the public, modeled at birth after the United States, into a copy of Soviet Russia.

The weapon is ready—the charge of conspiracy against the government by "agents of reaction." This was provided by Communist Premier Klement Gottwald himself. Now in complete control of the press and propaganda outlets, the Communists have all means at their disposal to drive home this campaign.

The nation fell under complete Communist domination last night. The Communist party, largest at the last election but still a minor force in the Parliament, has achieved a cabinet made up of its members and trusted sympathizers. Only a semblance of the old seven-party coalition is preserved.

(In London the British foreign office said Britain must now consider the question of recognition of the new Czechoslovak government. A foreign office spokesman said Communists forced the government upon Czechoslovakia using "undemocratic means." Britain has been consulting with the United States and France on the issue.)

Columns of Czech students attempted to march to Hradcany palace last night to see President Edward Benes, who capitulated yesterday to Communist demands after holding out for almost a week. Police arrested 50 of them.

One student said the police used rifle butts to push back the marchers who reached Palace Square. More than 10,000 students had gathered in the square before Charles University in a counter-demonstration to a Communist rally. Several thousand of them reached the palace square but were dispersed there by police.

Criticism of the government has disappeared from the Czechoslovak press, which, up to Monday night, had been carrying outspoken comment on the nation's political crisis.

Efforts to reach President Benes for an interview have been unavailing. Using the threat of a Comintern-led general strike, Gottwald finally forced Benes last night to approve the new Communist government. The president accepted resignations of 14 anti-Communist ministers, 12 of whom had quit a week ago to protest Communists' moves toward controlling the security forces of the nation.

For three days of bloody revolution, the Communist party had pressed its demands and won. It controlled the cabinet. It gave orders through the police and "reaction committees" to the whole country. It had crushed—or at the time being at least—all effective opposition.

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Roads in This Section in Bad Shape

All unpaved roads and highways in District No. 3 are still in bad shape. A. G. Rives, superintendent, announced today. Condition of the roads follow:

Highway No. 4: Dierks to Ouachita Co. Line. From Dierks to Center Point—Poor condition. Sloppy and rough. Open to traffic. Nashville to Washington—11 miles under construction. Traffic maintained. Washington to Hope—Sloppy and rough and in poor condition but open to traffic. Hope to Rosston—Closed, due to rain. Rosston to Ouachita Co. Line—Sloppy and rough but recommended, open to light traffic only.

Highway No. 5: Montgomery Co. Line to Clark Co. Line—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. Gravel being placed.

Highway No. 19: Delight to Waldo—Delight to Prescott open to light traffic. Prescott to Rossion—Closed, Rossion to Waldo—Closed due to rain.

Highway No. 24: Lockesburg to Ouachita Co. Line. From Lockesburg to Blevins—Condition poor. One bridge under construction. Short detour of 1000' around bridge site. Blevins to Prescott—Condition poor. Open to light traffic only. Gravel being placed in bad spots. Prescott to Junction No. 53—Condition good. Short detour of 1000' around bridge.

Junction No. 53: to Ouachita Co. Line—Sloppy and rough and poor condition. Open to light traffic only.

Highway No. 26: Junction No. 26 and No. 27 to the junction of No. 28 and No. 27—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. Bridges under repair. Traffic maintained. Murfreesboro to Clark Co. Line—Sloppy and rough in poor condition.

Highway No. 27: Junction No. 27 and No. 17 South of Bon Lenoard to Kirby—Highway No. 71 to Mineral Springs, four. Mineral Springs to Kirby—Good.

Highway No. 29: Blevins to Louisiana Line—Blevins to Hope—Poor condition. Hope to Lewisville—Good. Lewisville to Bradley—Fair. Bradley to Louisiana Line—Poor.

Highway No. 32: Oklahoma Line to Red River—Fair condition. Foreman to Edmond—Under construction. Traffic maintained. Junction No. 32 and No. 73 from Columbus to Washington—Poor condition. Not recommended for travel in wet weather.

Highway No. 41: DeQueen to Red River—DeQueen to Horatio—good condition except one mile of gravel. South of DeQueen which is fair. Horatio to Foremen—Fair condition. Foremen to Red River—Poor condition.

Highway No. 53: Little Missouri River to Bodow. From Little Missouri River to Junction No. 53 and No. 24—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. From Junction No. 53 and No. 4 to Bodow—Poor condition but passable.

Highway No. 55: Mineral Springs to Fulton—Fair condition. Highway No. 57: Texarkana to Clark Co. Line—Heavy maintenance repairs in operation. Soft shoulders throughout entire section. Observe all traffic and warning signs. Construction operations through the city of Hope. Short detour maintained when necessary. Some broken places in slab causes rough places and traffic should drive cautiously.

Highway No. 70: Oklahoma Line to Hot Springs Co. Line. From Oklahoma Line to Junction of Highway No. 70 and No. 71 East of DeQueen—Good. From Junction No. 70 and No. 71, East of DeQueen to Kirby—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. Heavy maintenance operations in progress. Kirby to Hot Springs Co. Line—Good.

Highway No. 71: Louisiana Line to Polk Co. Line—Condition good.

Highway No. 73: Junction No. 73 and No. 4 to Suratoga—Closed due to rain.

Highway No. 76: Junction No. 76 and No. 19 to Junction No. 76 and No. 4—Poor condition. Not recommended for travel in wet weather.

Highway No. 82: Texarkana to Columbia Co. Line. From Texarkana to Garland—Condition—Under construction. All traffic detour via No. 67 to Hope, No. 29 to Lewisville, 2½ mile detour for light traffic is closed for repairs. Garland City to Columbia Co. Line—Good condition.

Highway No. 84: Kirby to Clark Co. Line—Poor condition.

Highway No. 93: Junction No. 66 and No. 67 Paup's Spur to Junction No. 68 and No. 71 Index—Poor condition due to rain.

Highway No. 124: Junction No. 71 and No. 124 to Garland City—Fair 5 miles from the junction of No. 71 East on No. 124—Poor condition. Balance not recommended for travel. No State Maintenance on latter section.

Highway No. 160: Bradley to Spring Bank Ferry—Poor condition.

HURRICANE FLYERS
into the very center of the September 1944 hurricane, Col. Flood Wood, Lieut. Frank Record and Maj. Harry Wexler flew a Douglas Skymaster plane, for the purpose of making scientific notes on the turbulence inside the storm, and returned safely with valuable information.

They to their prosecution as accused enemies of the state. The majority of the interior, long Communist controlled, has been taking up its charges against many of the ministers for months. In a closed meeting Feb. 18, Gottwald himself charged a right-wing patch of the Czechoslovakian government with being responsible for the western powers to have been using Czechoslovakia as a base to work against Russia.

Up until this morning there has been no accounting of the Association of Press. Other foreign news agencies also appeared to be working a similar restriction on what they can say.

Interpretation was hard to get, particularly about police matters. But what can have existed before the change in government. The ministry of the interior is in charge of police.

HOPE STAR, HOPE, ARKANSAS

Fire Hits Another Town in Arkansas Within Two Days

Feb. 26—(AP)—This community is the second in Arkansas to have suffered misfortune in as many days.

Fire yesterday afternoon destroyed the Ritz theatre in the main business section in a loss estimated between \$150,000 and \$200,000. E. J. Arnold, general manager of the Malvern amusement co., operator of the show

house, made the estimate. Tuesday, an explosion wrecked three business buildings in Pocahontas, damaged many others, killed one person and injured several others. Losses there have been estimated at \$100,000.

Pocahontas is in northeast Arkansas; Malvern is in the south central area.

Dense smoke shrouded the business district here and for a time the theatre block was threatened.

This fear prompted calls for fire-fighting equipment from Hot Springs, Benton and the Reynolds Metal Co. plant at Jones Mill. By

the time the apparatus reached the scene, Malvern's volunteer firemen had flames under control and confined them to the theatre.

The cause of the fire has not been determined definitely. First reports said it started in the projection room. Later, it was believed it broke out at the rear of the building.

Several hours later the sheriff, Everett Wash., Feb. 26—(AP)—Sheriff Tom Warnock said today a 16-year-old boy fatally wounded a man who struck the youth's mother.

The youth was not held pending an inquest.

The dead man is Thomas G. Vredland, 27-year-old laborer. He was hit in the chest by a .22 cal.

Youth Fatally Wounds Man Who Struck Mother

Everett Wash., Feb. 26—(AP)—

Sheriff Tom Warnock said today a

man who struck the youth's mother

left to escape his attentions.